

December 29, 2016

Ms. Marlene Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, SW  
Room TW-A325  
Washington, DC 20554

RE: Certification of compliance with public interest obligations and deployment obligations adopted in the *Alaska Plan Order*, WC Docket No. 16-271

Dear Ms. Dortch,

On December 21, 2016, the Wireline Competition Bureau approved the performance plan of United Utilities, Inc. (SAC 613023) and Yukon Telephone Company, Inc. (SAC 613025).<sup>1</sup> I hereby certify that these companies will comply with the public interest obligations adopted in the *Alaska Plan Order*<sup>2</sup> and the deployment obligations set forth in the approved performance plan.

Sincerely,



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Peter Pounds  
UUI Treasurer

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<sup>1</sup> See *Wireline Competition Bureau Authorizes Alaska Plan Support for 13 Alaskan Rate-of-Return Companies*, Public Notice, DA 16-1425, WC Docket No. 16-271 (Wireline Comp. Bur. rel. Dec. 21, 2016). Appendix B to the Public Notice contains the performance plans as approved.

<sup>2</sup> *Connect America Fund, et al.*, WC Docket No. 10-90 et al., Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 31 FCC Rcd 10139 (2016) (*Alaska Plan Order*)